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Re: Inventor: Takanori TAMAI
Serial No: 10/602,618
Filed: June 25, 2003
For: INTEGRATED CIRCUIT DESIGN SYSTEM AND METHOD USING
PREPROCESSOR WHICH CHANGES HARDWARE DESCRIPTION
IN ACCORDANCE WITH CONFIGURATION

SIR:

Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

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Filing of Declaration/Declaration

Our check in the amount of \$0.00 is attached covering any required fees. In the event that any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 CFR 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136 for the necessary extension of time.

Respectfully Submitted,

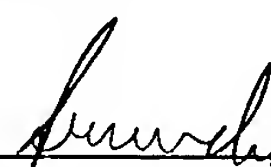
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